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THE LESSON

The little old house was set in a wild, weed-grown yard at the edge of the village. For a long time it had been empty and forlorn. Its paint was peeling. Its steps were sagging. Its window panes were broken. Its shutters swayed in the wind.

But one morning the little house awoke to new life. A painter began to brush a coat of gleaming white on its weather-beaten boards. A carpenter pounded. A gardener cut the tall weeds and grass.

Bugs Bunny and Porky Pig stood on the sidewalk, staring in amazement at the activity.

"G-Gosh!" Porky exclaimed. "S-Somebody m-must be g-goin' to m-move into the ole h-house!"

"You bet somebody's goin' to move in!" a loud voice sounded suddenly behind them. "I am!"

Bugs and Porky turned quickly to look at the owner of the voice. They saw a grinning, swaggering rabbit, as tall as Bugs. He wore a sweater and his long ears were sharp points at the sides of his cap, which was pulled low over his gleaming eyes.

"Oh!" Porky gulped. "H-Hello! This is B-Bugs B-Bunny. I'm P-Porky P-Pig. Who are y-you?"

"What's it to yuh?" the stranger jeered rudely. "An' don't hang around here! Go on! Scram!"

He marched past them and into the house.

"He's sure a toughie," Bugs said slowly. "We'll have to teach him a lesson, or we'll have trouble Let's go see Petunia an' the gang."

That night, when the little house was dark and empty, several small silent figures slipped into the yard, and scurried noiselessly around.

Early the next morning Bugs and Porky sauntered past the house. The rude young stranger was standing by the gate. He scowled threateningly.

"I thought I told you two guys to stay away!"

"Oh, w-we w-wouldn't g-go in THAT h-house for anything!" Porky said pleasantly.

"No, sirree!" Bugs chuckled. "We're afraid of HAUNTED HOUSES!"

"What do you mean?" the stranger yelled.

"What's it to yuh?" Bugs mocked. Then in a loud voice to Porky, "I don't envy him tryin' to live in a HAUNTED HOUSE!"

A few minutes later Petunia and little Cicero strolled past the house.

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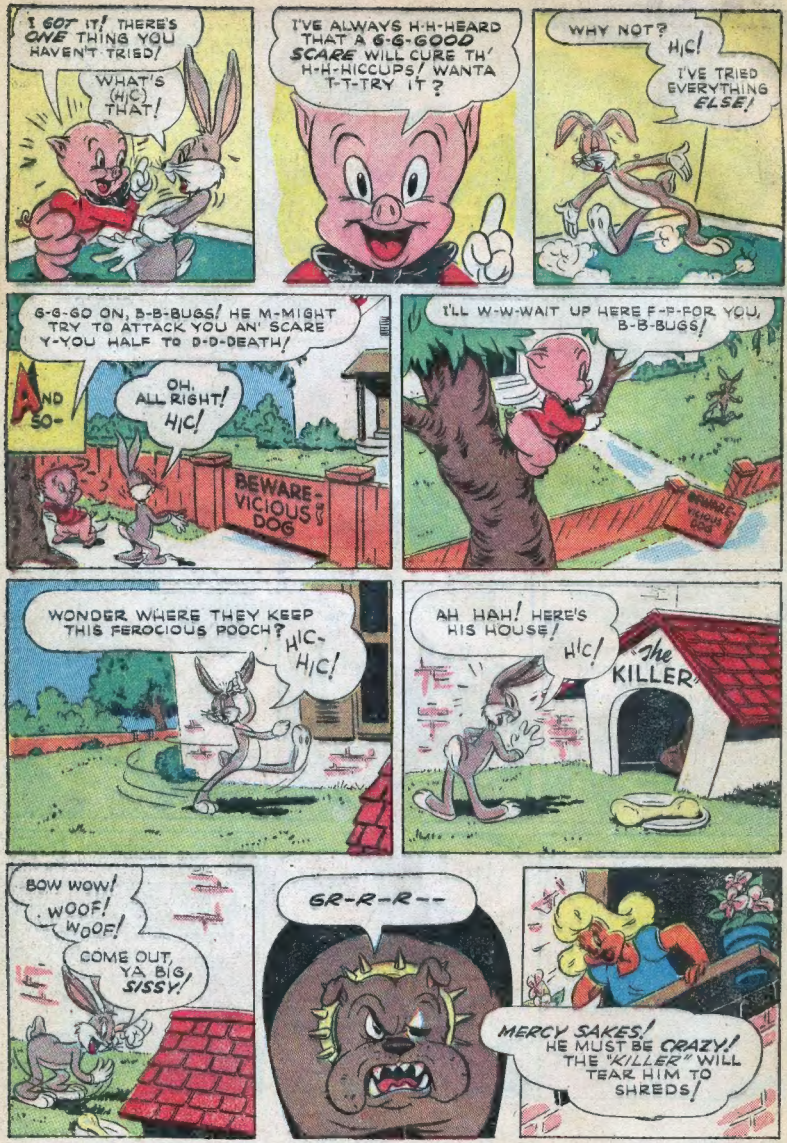
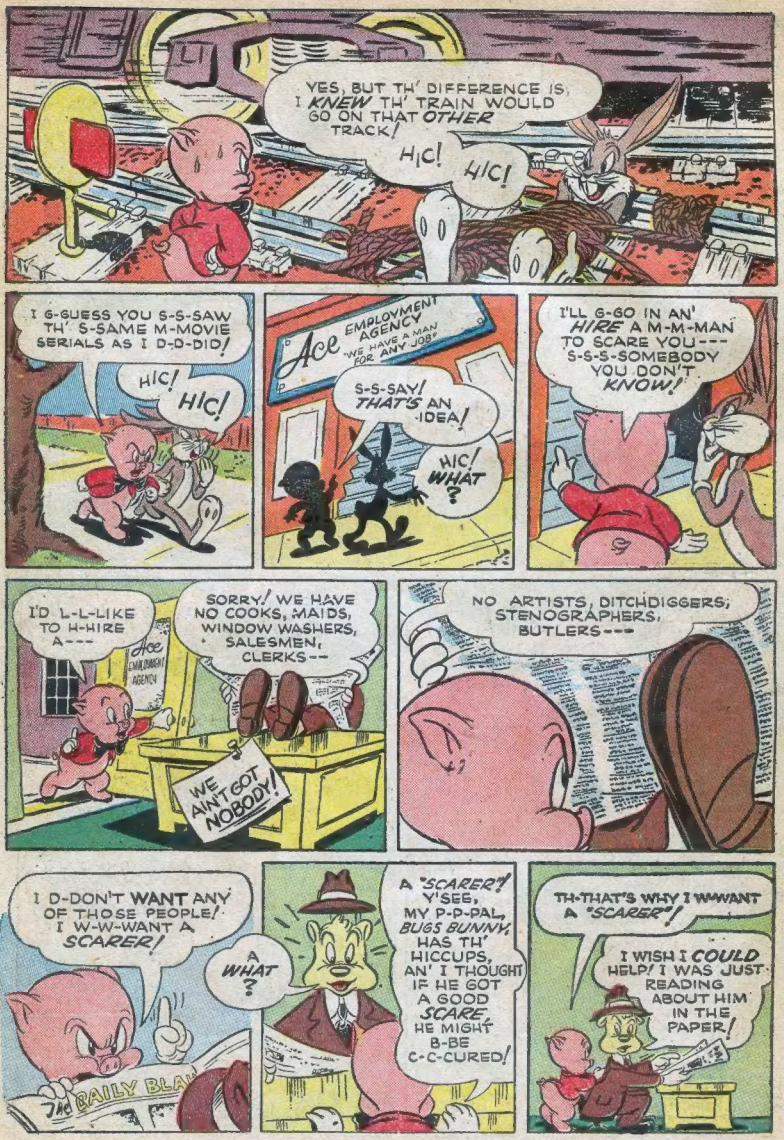
BUGS BUNNY
HIC!!
HM-M-M--- A STRANGE CASE! VERY STRANGE, INDEED!
WE'RE FROM THE NEWSPAPER AND---
P-P-P-P-PLEASE-- I REALLY DON'T THINK B-B-BUGS SHOULD BE DISTURBED!
NONSENSE, MY BOY! THE PUBLIC IS ENTITLED TO THE FACTS OF THE CASE!
WHEN A PERSON HAS HAD HICCUPS FOR TWO SOLID WEEKS--- THAT'S NEWS!
I W-W-WISH YOU W-W-WOULDN'T!
WHAT'S TH' LOW-DOWN, DOC? STOPPED HIS HICCUPS YET?
HIC! HIC!
NO! IT'S MOST UNUSUAL! WE'VE TRIED EVERYTHING WE CAN THINK OF!
HOW ABOUT GIVING OUT WITH A BIG HICCUP, BUGS? WE WANT TO PRINT YOUR PICTURE IN THE PAPER!
HIC!
PARDON ME!
CLICK
THANKS, PAL!
AFTER HIS VISITORS ARE GONE --
I NEVER THOUGHT I'D HAVTA GET TH' (HIC) HICCUPS TO GET MY PICTURE IN TH' PAPER!
HIC! HIC!

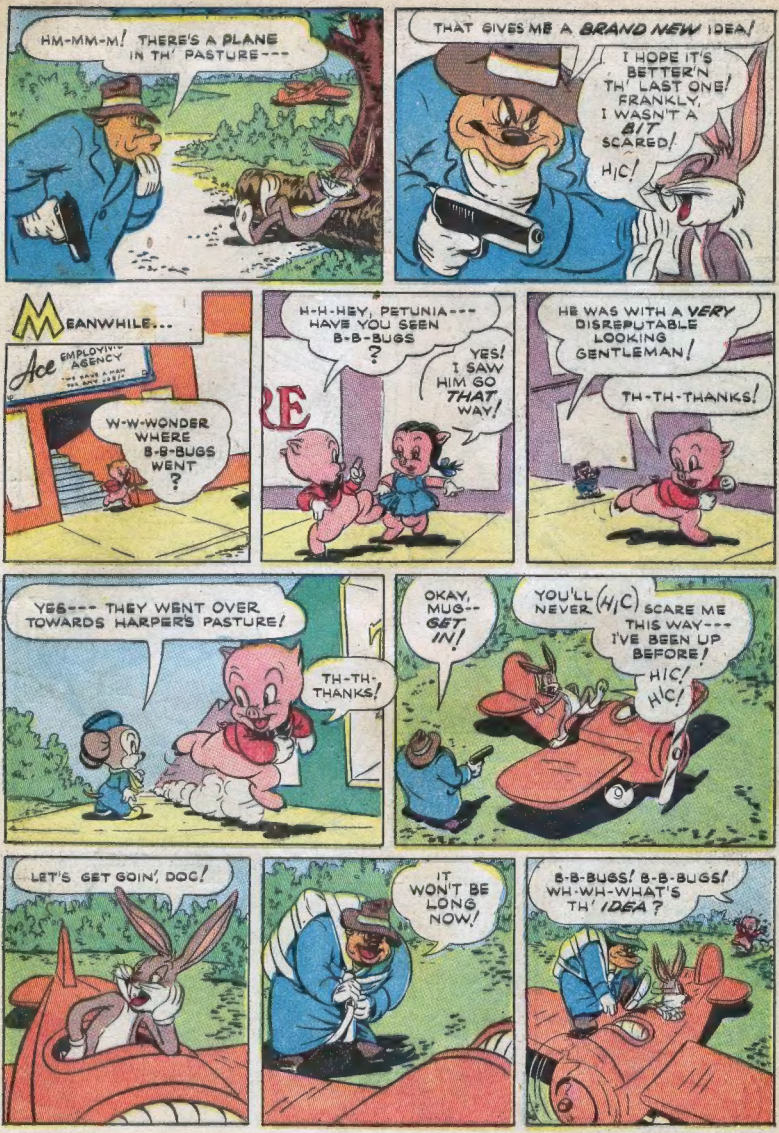

I GOT IT! THERE'S ONE THING YOU HAVEN'T TRIED!
WHAT'S (HIC) THAT!
I'VE ALWAYS H-H-HEARD THAT A G-G-GOOD SCARE WILL CURE TH' H-H-HICCUPS! WANTA T-T-TRY IT?
WHY NOT? HIC! I'VE TRIED EVERYTHING ELSE!
G-G-GO ON, B-B-BUGS! HE M-MIGHT TRY TO ATTACK YOU AN' SCARE Y-YOU HALF TO D-D-DEATH!
AND SO-
OH, ALL RIGHT! HIC!
BEWARE - VICIOUS DOG
I'LL W-W-WAIT UP HERE F-F-FOR YOU, B-B-BUGS!
WONDER WHERE THEY KEEP THIS FEROCIOUS POOCH? HIC-HIC!
AH HAH! HERE'S HIS HOUSE! HIC!
"the KILLER"
BOW WOW! WOOF! WOOF!
COME OUT, YA BIG SISSY!
GR-R-R--
MERCY SAKES! HE MUST BE CRAZY! THE "KILLER" WILL TEAR HIM TO SHREDS!

RUN! RUN! RUN FOR YOUR LIFE!
OH, BOY! I THINK I'M GETTIN' SCARED ALL RIGHT!
the KILLER
G-R-R-R-R
HIC!
YIPE! YIPE! YIPE!
DARN IT! THAT HICCUP SCARED HIM AWAY!
ANY L-L-LUCK, B-BUGS?
HIC! WHAT DO YOU THINK? HIC, HIC!
BEWARE VICIOUS DOG
D-D-DON'T BE D-D-DOWN-HEARTED! I'M S-S-SURE WE'LL FIND S-S-SOMETHING THAT'LL SCARE YOU!
HIC! HIC!
HEY! WHAT TH'--??
CRASH!
HIC!
T-T-T-TOO B-B-BAD YOU DIDN'T SEE IT INSTEAD OF M-M-ME!
2 HOURS LATER-
TH-THIS OUGHTA D-D-DO IT! IT ALWAYS S-S-SCARED M-ME WHEN I S-S-SAW IT DONE IN TH' M-M-MOVIES!
WOO! WOOoooooooo!

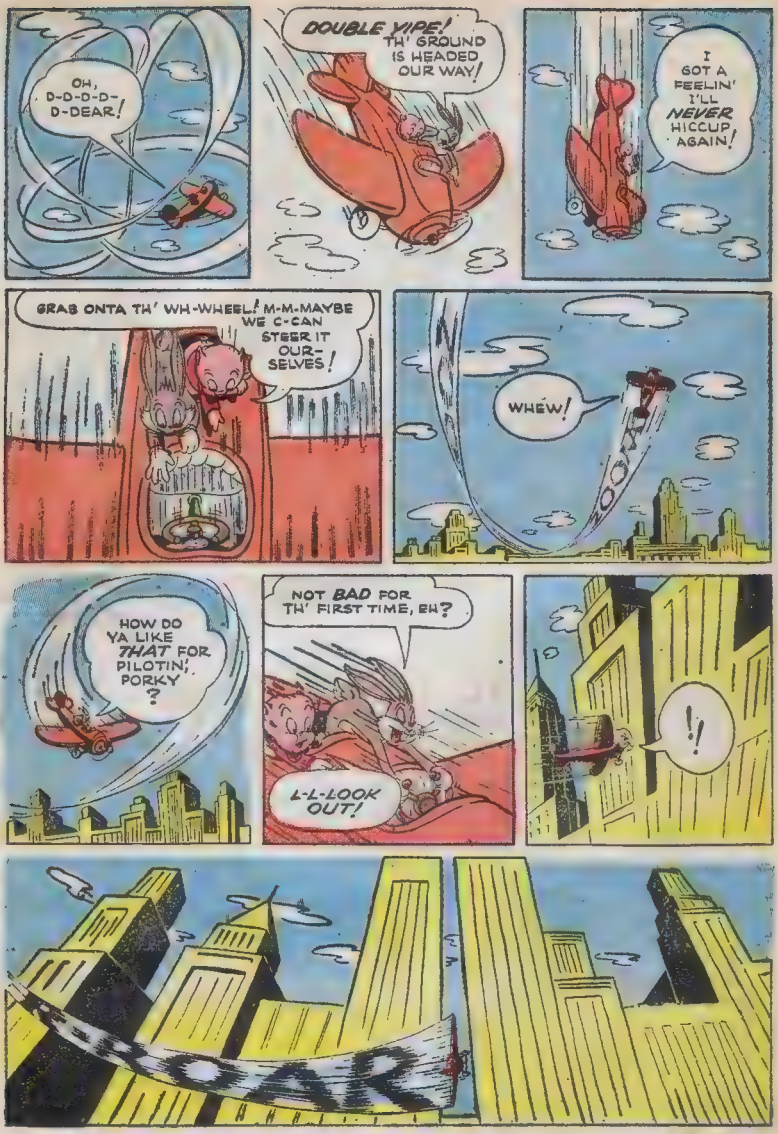

YES, BUT TH' DIFFERENCE IS, I KNEW TH' TRAIN WOULD GO ON THAT OTHER TRACK!
HIC!
HIC!
I G-GUESS YOU S-S-SAW TH' S-SAME M-MOVIE SERIALS AS I D-D-DID!
HIC!
HIC!
Ace EMPLOYMENT AGENCY "WE HAVE A MAN FOR ANY JOB"
S-S-SAY! THAT'S AN IDEA!
HIC! WHAT?
I'LL G-GO IN AN' HIRE A M-M-MAN TO SCARE YOU--- S-S-S-SOMEBODY YOU DON'T KNOW!
I'D L-L-LIKE TO H-HIRE A---
Ace EMPLOYMENT AGENCY
SORRY! WE HAVE NO COOKS, MAIDS, WINDOW WASHERS, SALESMEN, CLERKS--
WE AIN'T GOT NOBODY!
NO ARTISTS, DITCHDIGGERS, STENOGRAPHERS, BUTLERS---
I D-DON'T WANT ANY OF THOSE PEOPLE! I W-W-WANT A SCARER!
A WHAT?
DAILY BLA
A "SCARER"? Y'SEE, MY P-P-PAL, BUGS BUNNY, HAS TH' HICCUPS, AN' I THOUGHT IF HE GOT A GOOD SCARE HE MIGHT B-BE C-C-CURED!
TH-THAT'S WHY I W-WANT A "SCARER"!
I WISH I COULD HELP! I WAS JUST READING ABOUT HIM IN THE PAPER!

HAVE YOU SEEN IT?
OH, D-D-DEAR--
--TH-THERE'S BEEN A MISTAKE! BUGS' PICTURE IS IN TH' WR-WRONG PLACE!
The DAILY BLAH
STAR WITNESS IN MURDER TRIAL!
MURDER TRIAL TO BE HELD THURSDAY
Has Hiccups for Two Weeks!
IF THAT 'STAR WITNESS' TESTIFIES AGAINST ME, I'M SUNK!
YEAH, BOSS-- BUT SUPPOSE HE DOESN'T ?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN ?
NOW THAT WE'VE SEEN HIS PICTURE IN TH' PAPER, WE KNOW WHAT HE LOOKS LIKE!
ONCE I FIND HIM, I'LL FIX HIM SO HE CAN'T TALK!
GET ME ?
MIGOSH! THERE HE IS NOW!
HIC!
WE HAVE A MAN FOR ANY JOB!
IT'S HIM, ALL RIGHT!
JUST LEAVE IT TO ME! HE WON'T TALK!
HIC!
WONDER WHAT KIND OF CHARACTER PORKY WILL PICK TO SCARE ME?
HIC!
HIC!
PROBABLY SOME HAM ACTOR!
ONE PEEP OUTA YOU AN' I'LL LET YOU HAVE IT!
WELL! SPEAK OF TH' DEVIL---
HIC!

DON'T TRY ANY FUNNY STUFF! I GOT YOU COVERED!
HEH! HEH! HIC!
HIC!
I THINK I OUGHTA WARN YA, DOC-- I'M HARD TO SCARE!
HIC!
HOW MUCH LONGER DO WE KEEP UP TH' FARCE, DOC ?
SHUT UP! KEEP WALKIN'!
THERE'S NOBODY AROUND! THIS IS AS GOOD A SPOT AS ANY!
HIC!
OKAY--- YOU CAN START SAYIN' YOUR PRAYERS!
HEH! HEH! WHAT A HAM!
HAW! HAW! WHAT CORNY DRAMATICS!
?? ??
REALLY, DOC--- YOU SLAY ME!
HIC!
? ? ? ? ?
PARDON ME, DOC-- MY HICCUPS, Y'KNOW!
COISES! HERE COMES A CAR! I GUESS THIS AIN'T SUCH A GOOD PLACE FOR IT!
HEH! HEH! NO--- LET'S PLAY SOMETHING ELSE! WHY DON'T WE TELL GHOST STORIES ?


HM-MM-M! THERE'S A PLANE IN TH' PASTURE---
THAT GIVES ME A BRAND NEW IDEA!
I HOPE IT'S BETTER'N TH' LAST ONE! FRANKLY, I WASN'T A BIT SCARED!
HIC!
MEANWHILE...
Ace EMPLOYMENT AGENCY
W-W-WONDER WHERE B-B-BUGS WENT?
H-H-HEY, PETUNIA--- HAVE YOU SEEN B-B-BUGS?
YES! I SAW HIM GO THAT WAY!
HE WAS WITH A VERY DISREPUTABLE LOOKING GENTLEMAN!
TH-TH-THANKS!
YES--- THEY WENT OVER TOWARDS HARPER'S PASTURE!
TH-TH-THANKS!
OKAY, MUG-- GET IN!
YOU'LL NEVER (HIC) SCARE ME THIS WAY--- I'VE BEEN UP BEFORE!
HIC! HIC!
LET'S GET GOIN', DOC!
IT WON'T BE LONG NOW!
B-B-BUGS! B-B-BUGS! WH-WH-WHAT'S TH' IDEA?

I'LL GIVE YOU A HAND, PORKY YOU MAY AS WELL COME ALONG, TOO!
(HIC!)
HIC! HIC!
B-B-BUT WH-WHAT--?
ZOOM
WH-WHAT'S IT ALL ABOUT?
HEH! HEH! AS IF YOU DIDN'T KNOW!
HIC!
WHY DON'T YOU TRY LOOPIN' TH' LOOP, DOC? THAT MIGHT SCARE ME! HIC!
DON'T BE FUNNY, WISE GUY-- I CAN'T LOOP TH' LOOP!
YA CAN'T? HIC!
OF COURSE NOT! I NEVER FLEW A PLANE BEFORE IN MY LIFE!
HAPPY LANDINGS!
HEY! COME BACK!
PORKY! I DON'T GET IT--- HE JUMPED OUT OF THE PLANE!
DON'T YOU THINK THAT MUG YOU HIRED TO SCARE ME IS OVERDOIN' IT A BIT?
I HIRED?? ??
WHY, I N-N-NEVER SAW THAT MAN B-B-BEFORE IN M-MY LIFE!


OH, D-D-D-D-D-DEAR!
DOUBLE YIPE! TH' GROUND IS HEADED OUR WAY!
I GOT A FEELIN' I'LL NEVER HICCUP AGAIN!
GRAB ONTA TH' WH-WHEEL! M-M-MAYBE WE C-CAN STEER IT OUR-SELVES!
WHEW!
ZOOM
HOW DO YA LIKE THAT FOR PILOTIN', PORKY?
NOT BAD FOR TH' FIRST TIME, EH?
L-L-LOOK OUT!
!
ROAR

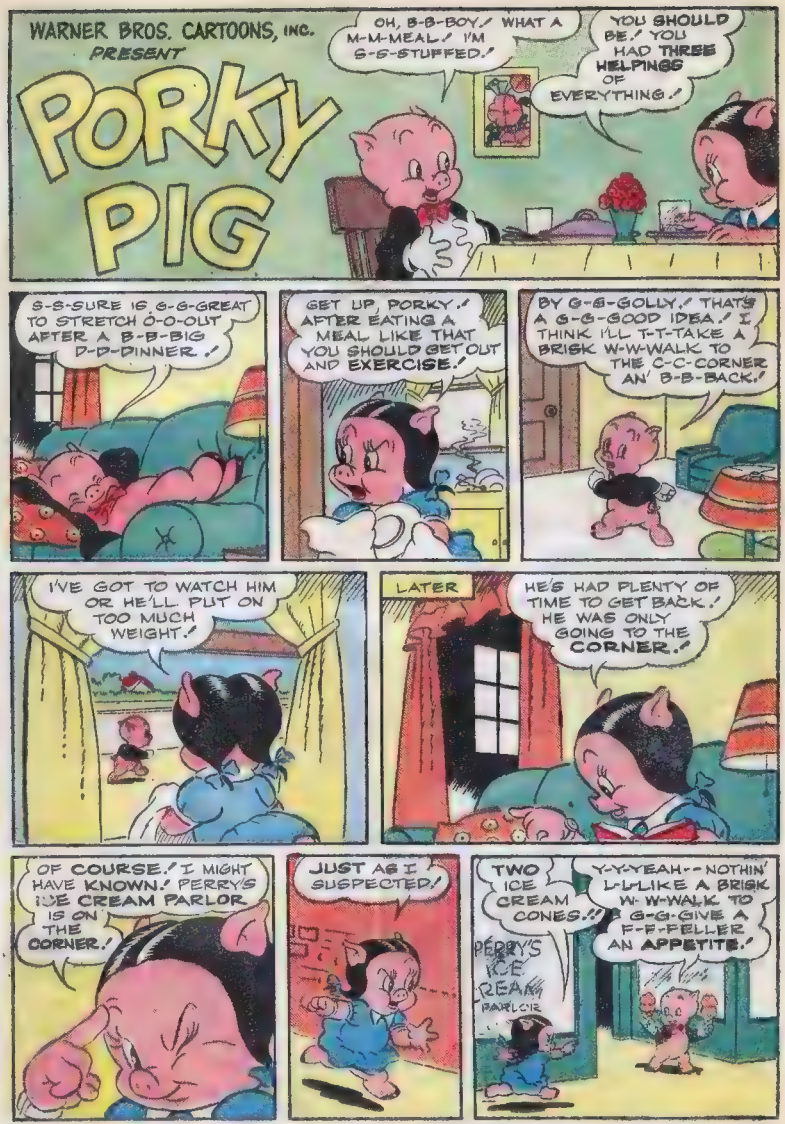
G-G-GOLLY!
IT'S GETTIN' DARK--- LUCKY FOR US TH' TANK'S FULL OF GAS!
WE'LL JUST HAVE TO KEEP FLYIN' AROUND UNTIL---
YIPE! WHAT WAS THAT ?
BUMP!
P-P-PROBABLY ONE OF THOSE AIR P-P-POCKETS I'VE HEARD ABOUT!
HOW L-L-LONG HAS IT B-B-BEEN?
SEEMS LIKE HOURS AN' HOURS!
SPUT!
OH! OH! OUT OF GAS!
SPLUTTER! SPLUTTER!
TH' SUN'S COMING UP-- AT LEAST WE'LL S-S-S-S-S-S-SEE WHERE WE'RE G-G-GONNA C-C-CRASH!
MIGOSH! THAT WASN'T AN AIRPOCKET WE STRUCK LAST NIGHT---
---IT W-W-WAS A CH-CHURCH STEEPLE!
WELL, ANYWAY--- TH' SCARE SURE CURED MY HICCUPS!
IT S-S-SURE D-D-DID!
HIC!
OOPS! P-P-PARDON ME!

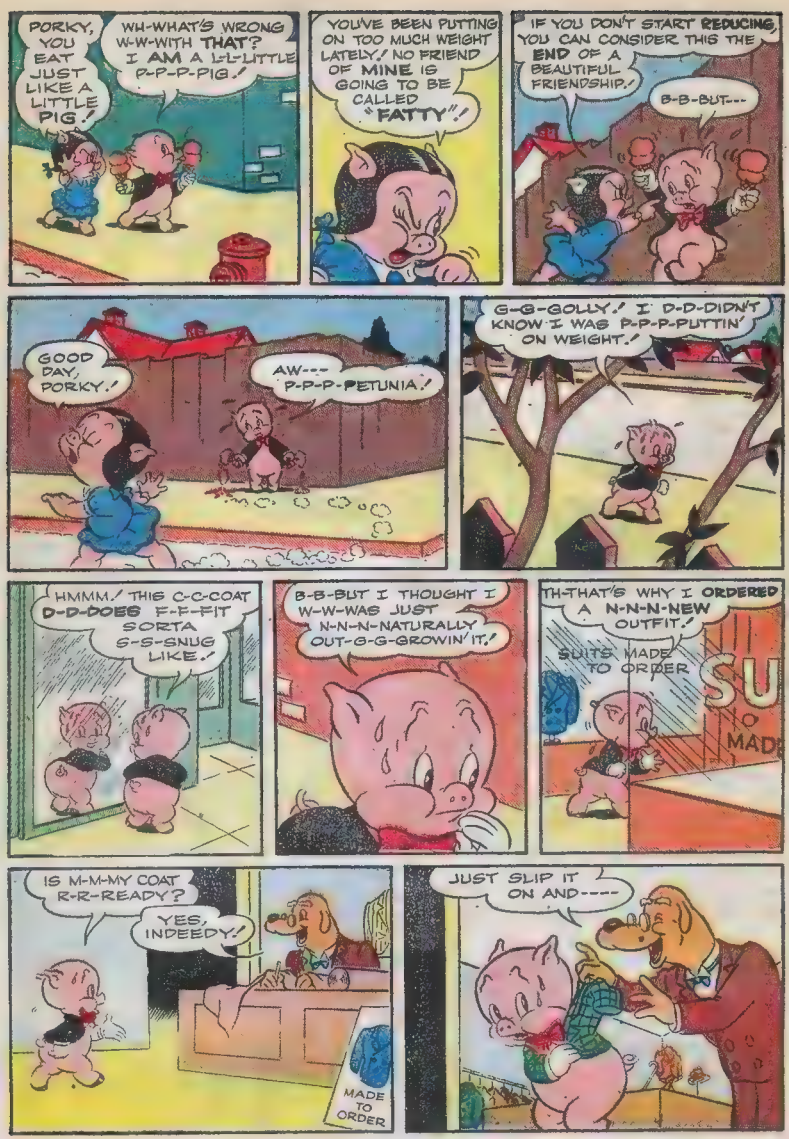
WARNER BROS. CARTOONS, INC. PRESENT
Sniffles and MARY JANE
I'VE BEEN IN BED FOR HOURS AND I JUST CAN'T GO TO SLEEP!
HELLO, SNIFFLES!
HI, MARY JANE! WHAT'S WRONG? EVERYONE IN THE HOUSE IS STILL AWAKE!
I DON'T KNOW! I'M JUST NOT A BIT SLEEPY!
OH-OH!! I SMELL A MOU- .....I MEAN-
-I THINK I KNOW WHAT'S WRONG! SPRINKLE YOUR MAGIC SAND AND COME WITH ME!
VERY WELL! HERE GOES THE SAND!
THERE! I'M AS LITTLE AS YOU ARE, SNIFFLES! NOW WHAT DO WE DO?
I'LL BE RIGHT DOWN AND SHOW YOU!
HERE I COME! WHEEEEE!
I'D LIKE TO TRY THAT!
WE HAVEN'T GOT TIME TO PLAY!.... WE MUST GO AT ONCE!
WHERE ARE WE GOING?
C'MON BEHIND THE PILLOW AND I'LL SHOW YOU!
WHY, THERE'S A LITTLE DOOR BEHIND MY PILLOW!
YES... AND IT LEADS TO SLEEPY VALLEY!

IT LOOKS JUST LIKE FAIRYLAND!
IT'S SLUMBERLAND! WE'RE GOING DOWN TO SLEEPY VALLEY TO FIND THE SANDMAN!
WHY DO YOU WANT TO SEE THE SANDMAN?
I WANT TO ASK HIM WHY HE DIDN'T DO HIS JOB TONIGHT!
HERE COMES A NATIVE... PERHAPS HE CAN TELL US WHERE THE SANDMAN IS!
HELLO! I'M THE DREAM-MAKER! WHAT ARE YOU FOLKS DOING IN SLEEPY VALLEY?
WHY AREN'T YOU ASLEEP?
BECAUSE THE SANDMAN DIDN'T COME TONIGHT! DO YOU KNOW WHY?
NO! I JUST MAKE DREAMS... THE SANDMAN LIVES OVER THERE!
BE CAREFUL! I LEFT SOME DREAMS ALONG THE TRAIL!
DREAMS?
C'MON! A DREAM CAN'T HURT US!
LOOK, SNIFFLES! CHOCOLATES GROWING ON A TREE!
THIS MUST BE ONE OF THOSE DREAMS!
CLIPPITY CLOP!
CLIPPITY CLOP!
LISTEN! WHAT'S THAT?
OH!
UHP!
MY GOODNESS! WHAT WAS THAT?
THAT WAS A NIGHTMARE... ...I THINK!

WHAT A TERRIBLE CREATURE!
IT WAS ONLY A BAD DREAM! LET'S FIND THE SAND-MAN!
HERE'S THE SANDMAN!
YES - AND HE LOOKS TROUBLED!
SANDMAN SLEEP SPECIALIST
WHAT'S THE MATTER, MISTER SANDMAN?
WHAT'S WRONG?
THE SLEEPLESS ONE IS CAUSING TROUBLE AGAIN!
HE DOESN'T WANT ANYONE TO REST, SO HE STOLE MY SLEEPING SAND!
HE TOOK IT TO THE TOP OF THAT MOUNTAIN AND I'M TOO OLD TO CLIMB IT!
YOU WAIT HERE! MARY JANE AND I WILL GET YOUR SAND BACK!
IS THE SLEEPLESS ONE VERY BIG AND BAD?
NO! HE'S JUST MISCHIEVOUS... LIKES TO ANNOY PEOPLE AND KEEP THEM AWAKE!
SO SNIFFLES AND MARY JANE CLIMB THE MOUNTAIN....
KEEP CLIMBING, MARY JANE.... WE'RE ALMOST TO THE TOP!
PUFF-PUFF- THIS IS HARD WORK, SNIFFLES!
DO YOU SEE THE SLEEPLESS ONE?
WAIT UNTIL I GET UP TO THIS LAST LEDGE!
THERE'S THE SLEEPLESS ONE!
AND HE'S SITTING ON THE SANDMAN'S BAG OF SAND!
HA-HA-HA- NO ONE WILL GET ANY SLEEP TONIGHT! HO-HO!!
HE THINKS IT'S FUNNY TO KEEP PEOPLE AWAKE!
SHH - I HAVE AN IDEA!

HA-HA-HO-HO-HEE-HEE!
BOO!! HAVE SOME SLEEPING SAND!
HUH?
LISTEN, YOU...I'LL... I'LL.... HO-HUM- I'M SOOO SLEEPY----
YAWN!
IS HE ASLEEP ALREADY?
YES....NOW LET'S TAKE THE SAND BACK TO THE SANDMAN!
ZZ-ZZZZZ-Z
GETTING THIS HEAVY BAG DOWN THE MOUNTAIN WILL BE A JOB!
IT SURE IS HEAVY!
WE'LL NEVER BE ABLE TO CARRY THIS DOWN, SNIFFLES!
CAREFUL, MARY JANE!
MARY JANE! WATCH OUT!
OHHH!
HELP, SNIFFLES! THE SAND IS GETTING IN MY EYES!
OHHH-- I'M SO SLE-E-P---
YAWN!
MARY JANE!.... MARY JANE.....
...I GUESS SHE'S ASLEEP! HMMM...I MIGHT AS WELL GO AND SEE IF THERE'S SOME CHEESE IN THE PANTRY!


WARNER BROS. CARTOONS, INC.
PRESENT
PORKY PIG
OH, B-B-BOY! WHAT A M-M-MEAL! I'M S-S-STUFFED!
YOU SHOULD BE! YOU HAD THREE HELPINGS OF EVERYTHING!
S-S-SURE IS G-G-GREAT TO STRETCH O-O-OUT AFTER A B-B-BIG D-D-DINNER!
GET UP, PORKY! AFTER EATING A MEAL LIKE THAT YOU SHOULD GET OUT AND EXERCISE!
BY G-G-GOLLY! THAT'S A G-G-GOOD IDEA! I THINK I'LL T-T-TAKE A BRISK W-W-WALK TO THE C-C-CORNER AN' B-B-BACK!
I'VE GOT TO WATCH HIM OR HE'LL PUT ON TOO MUCH WEIGHT!
LATER
HE'S HAD PLENTY OF TIME TO GET BACK! HE WAS ONLY GOING TO THE CORNER!
OF COURSE! I MIGHT HAVE KNOWN! PERRY'S ICE CREAM PARLOR IS ON THE CORNER!
JUST AS I SUSPECTED!
TWO ICE CREAM CONES!!
PERRY'S ICE CREAM PARLOR
Y-Y-YEAH--NOTHIN' L-L-LIKE A BRISK W-W-WALK TO G-G-GIVE A F-F-FELLER AN APPETITE!


PORKY, YOU EAT JUST LIKE A LITTLE PIG!
WH-WHAT'S WRONG W-W-WITH THAT? I AM A L-L-LITTLE P-P-P-PIG!
YOU'VE BEEN PUTTING ON TOO MUCH WEIGHT LATELY! NO FRIEND OF MINE IS GOING TO BE CALLED "FATTY"!
IF YOU DON'T START REDUCING, YOU CAN CONSIDER THIS THE END OF A BEAUTIFUL FRIENDSHIP!
B-B-BUT---
GOOD DAY, PORKY!
AW--- P-P-P-PETUNIA!
G-G-GOLLY! I D-D-DIDN'T KNOW I WAS P-P-P-PUTTIN' ON WEIGHT!
HMMM! THIS C-C-COAT D-D-DOES F-F-FIT SORTA S-S-SNUG LIKE!
B-B-BUT I THOUGHT I W-W-WAS JUST N-N-N-NATURALLY OUT-G-G-GROWIN' IT!
TH-THAT'S WHY I ORDERED A N-N-N-NEW OUTFIT!
SUITS MADE TO ORDER
IS M-M-MY COAT R-R-READY?
YES, INDEEDY!
MADE TO ORDER
JUST SLIP IT ON AND----

H-H-HEY! TH-THIS C-C-COAT DOESN'T F-FIT ME! IT'S W-W-WAY T-T-TOO LITTLE!
BUT IT MUST!
IT WAS MADE TO ORDER FROM YOUR MEASUREMENTS TWO WEEKS AGO!
OH, M-M-MIGOSH! I HAVE P-P-PUT ON WEIGHT! P-P-PETUNIA WAS RIGHT!
I B-B-BETTER START R-R-REDUCIN' THIS V-V-VERY MINUTE!
ARE YOU SURE YOU MADE PORKY'S COAT ACCORDING TO HIS MEASUREMENTS?
PORKY'S?
THAT'S NOT PORKY'S COAT! I'M STILL WORKING ON IT!
THAT COAT WAS FOR HIS NEPHEW, CICERO! HE ORDERED IT AT THE SAME TIME!
IT'S IMPOSSIBLE! I J-J-JUST COULDN'T H-H-HAVE PUT ON TH-TH-THAT MUCH W-W-WEIGHT!
BUT, T-T-TO B-BE SURE, I'D B-B-BETTER GET----
J-J-JEEPERS! T-T-TWO HUNDRED AN' T-T-TEN P-P-POUNDS!
EXACT WEIGHT
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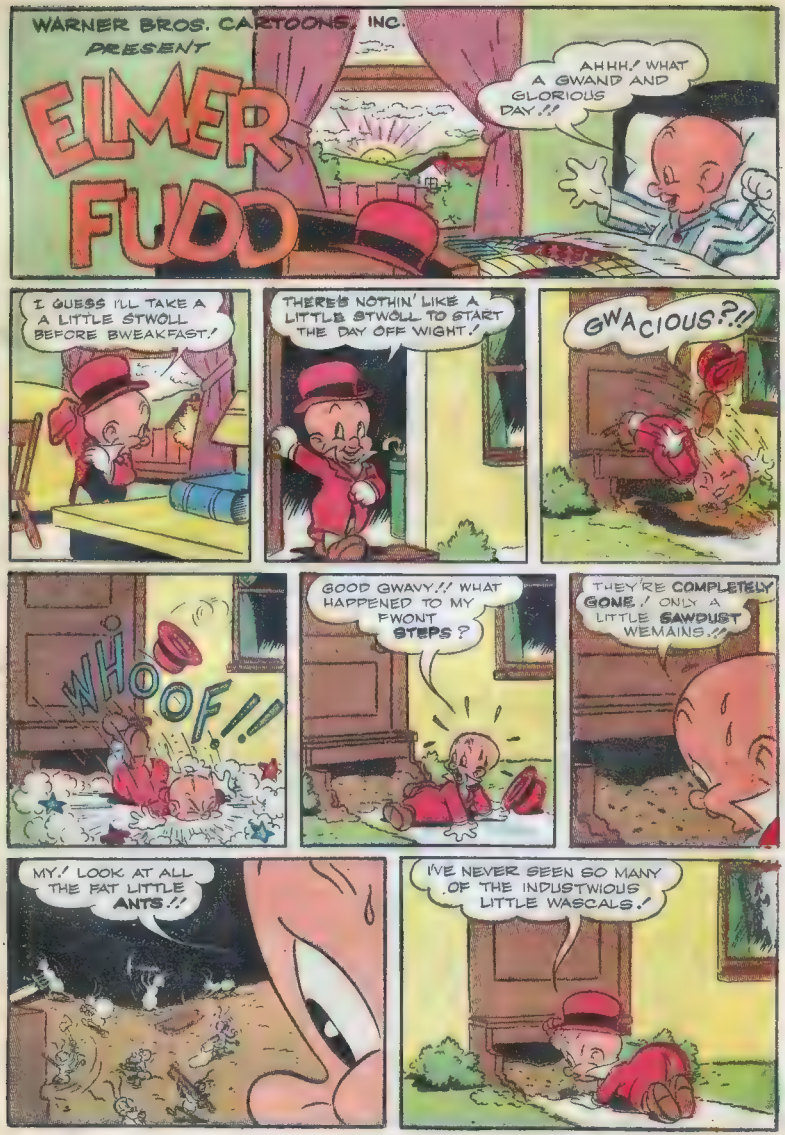
IF I K-K-KEEP THIS UP, TH' ONLY J-J-JOB I'LL BE ABLE T-T-TO GET IS TH' F-F-FAT M-MAN IN A SIDESHOW!
THIS MACHINE HAS CERTAINLY CAUSED US A LOT OF TROUBLE!
EXACT WEIGHT
OUT OF ORDER
I W-W-WONDER WH-WHERE THERE'S A G-G-GOOD REDUCIN' S-S-STUDIO?
MY! YOU'VE LOST A LOT OF WEIGHT LATELY!
HOW'D YOU DO IT?
WELL, SIR, I TRIED EVERYTHING! STEAM BATHS, EXERCISE, PILLS---
NONE OF THEM DID ME ANY GOOD!
THEN HOW DID YOU DO IT?
BY WORRY ALONE! I GOT TO WORRYING ABOUT HOW I'D MAKE MY INCOME TAX PAYMENTS!
I GOT SO WORRIED THAT I LOST THIRTY POUNDS!
TH-THAT SYSTEM'S ALL R-R-RIGHT FOR H-HIM! B-B-BIT I D-DON'T MAKE ENOUGH TO P-P-PAY AN INCOME T-T-TAX!
L-L-L-LET'S S-S-SEE --- THERE M-M-MUST BE S-S-SOMETHIN' I C-C-COULD WORRY ABOUT.

G-G-GOLLY! IT'S AWFUL N-NOT TO HAVE A S-SINGLE W-W-WORRY IN THE W-W-WORLD!
HI, UNCLE PORKY! WHATCHA DOIN', HUH? WHATCHA DOIN'?
OH--- H-H-HELLO, CICERO.
S'MATTER? YOU LOOK AWFUL SAD!
Y-Y-YEAH---
I HAVEN'T DONE ANYTHING TO WORRY YOU, HAVE I, UNCLE PORKY?
(IDEA)
I'VE TRIED TO BE A GOOD LITTLE BOY, AN'---
CICERO! Y-YOU JJ-JUST GAVE M-M-ME A G-GREAT IDEA!
W-W-WILL YOU D-D-DO ME A B-B-BIG F-FAVOR?
WHAT IS IT?
I W-W-WANT YOU TO M-M-MAKE ME WORRY ABOUT Y-YOU! I W-W-WANT TO R-REDUCE AN' IF I W-W-WORRY, I'LL LL-LOSE WEIGHT!
BUT WHEN I'M GOOD YOU DON'T WORRY ABOUT ME!
TH-THEN BE B-BAD! DO S-S-SOMETHIN'--- ---ANYTHING TH-THAT WILL M-M-MAKE ME W-W-WORRY!
HM-M-M---
OKAY, FOR YOU I WILL DO IT! I'LL BE A BAD LITTLE BOY!
IT'LL BE HARD FOR ME, BUT- I WILL TRY! I WILL TRY!
OH, TH-TH-THANK YOU, CICERO!

OH B-B-BOY! I F-FEEL BETTER ALREADY! I'LL S-S-SOON HAVE S-S-SOMETHIN' TO WORRY ABOUT!
OH! OH! WH-WHERE'D HE G-G-GO?
CICERO! WH-WHERE ARE Y-Y-YOU?
Y-YOO HOO, CICERO! WH-WHERE ARE Y-Y-YOU?
HM-M-M ----
MAY I LOOK AT YOUR BALLOONS, MISTER?
WHY, OF COURSE, LITTLE BOY!
AREN'T THEY PRETTY?
HEY! STOP THAT, YOU BRAT!
POP!
POP!
POP!
WHY, YOU SCOUNDREL!
CICERO! WH-WHERE ARE Y-Y-YOU?
HERE I AM, UNCLE PORKY!
IS THAT YOUR KID?
Y-Y-YES, SIR---AT LEAST, H-HE'S M-M-MY NEPHEW!

THEN TAKE THAT.!!
PONK!
NOW PAY ME FOR THE BALLOONS HE POPPED.!
PRETTY GOOD START-- HUH, UNCLE PORKY?
I'M S-S-S-SORRY HE---
NEVER MIND.! GIMME TH' DOUGH.!
NOW WH-WHERE'D HE G-G-GO?
CICERO.! WH-WHERE ARE Y-Y-YOU?
HERE I AM, UNCLE PORKY.!
NO.!
YOU'LL B-BREAK YOUR N-N-NECK.! C-COME D-D-DOWN AT ONCE.!
HELP!
CICERO.!
CICERO.!
PORKY.! WAKE UP.!
G-G-GOLLY.! WHAT A D-D-DREAM.!
NO WONDER YOU HAD A NIGHTMARE, AFTER ALL THAT DINNER YOU ATE.!

INSTEAD OF SLEEPING, YOU SHOULD HAVE TAKEN SOME EXERCISE.'
BY G-G-GOLLY.' I'LL D-D-DO IT.' I'LL T-TAKE A B-B-BRISK WALK TO TH' C-C-CORNER.'
MAY I LOOK AT YOUR BALLOONS, MISTER?
I W-W-WOULDN'T D-D-DO THAT IF I W-W-WERE YOU, CICERO.'
JEEPERS.' HOW'D HE KNOW WHAT I WAS GONNA DO?
PORKY'S BEEN GONE LONG ENOUGH TO GO TO THE CORNER AND BACK---'
THE CORNER.' HE'S PROBABLY DOWN THERE EATING ICE CREAM CONES.'
HAVE YOU SEEN PORKY?
HE WENT IN THERE.'
PERRY'S ICE CREAM PARLOR
I DON'T KNOW WHY PORKY HAS TO BE SUCH A PIG.'
I MISJUDGED YOU, PORKY.' I THOUGHT I'D FIND YOU EATING ICE CREAM.'
WHO...? M-M-ME?
LATEST MAGAZINES
WHY, I WOULDN'T D-D-DREAM OF S-S-SUCH A THING.'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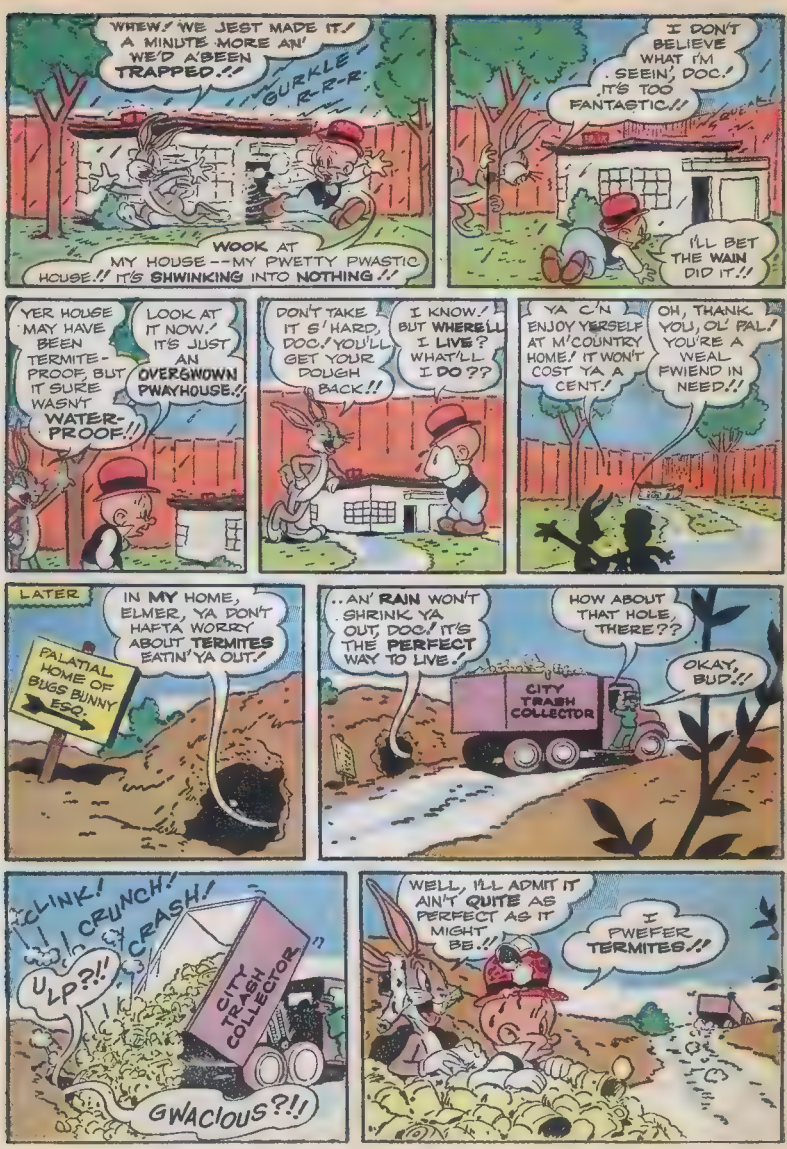
PRESENT
ELMER FUDD
AHHH,! WHAT A GWAND AND GLORIOUS DAY!!
I GUESS I'LL TAKE A A LITTLE STWOLL BEFORE BWEAKFAST!
THERE'S NOTHIN' LIKE A LITTLE STWOLL TO START THE DAY OFF WIGHT!
GWACIOUS?!!
WHOOF!!
GOOD GWAVY!! WHAT HAPPENED TO MY FWONT STEPS?
THEY'RE COMPLETELY GONE! ONLY A LITTLE SAWDUST WEMAINS!!
MY! LOOK AT ALL THE FAT LITTLE ANTS!!
I'VE NEVER SEEN SO MANY OF THE INDUSTWIOUS LITTLE WASCALS!

THEY'RE CAWWYING AWAY THE SAWDUST.! GWEAT GWASSHOPPERS !! THEY'RE EATING IT !!
FWANKLY, THIS IS VEWWY STWANGE.! I'VE NEVER SEEN ANTS EAT WOOD BEFORE.! ONLY TERMITES EAT..!!
GALLOPING GWEMLINS.!! THEY ARE TERMITES.!! VEWY HUNGWY ONES, TOO.!!
I'LL GET WID OF 'EM.! I'LL GO TO THE TOOL SHED AND GET MY TERMITE EWADICATOR.! I'LL FIX 'EM.!!
M:MY TOOL SHED!!
THOSE WETCHED TERMITES HAVE WEDUCED IT TO WUBBLE.!!
AHH.! HERE'S MY EWADICATOR.!! WEVENGE WILL BE VEWY SWEET.!!
R-R-RUMBLE
GWACIOUS.! WHAT'S THAT NOISE?
OH, NO.! IT CAN'T BE TWUE.!!
R-R-R
CRASHH!!
I CAN'T BELIEVE MY EYES.!! MY HOUSE IS CWUMBLING DOWN.! IT CAN'T BE TWUE.!!

BUT IT IS TWUE.!! THEY'VE WUINED THIS SIDE OF MY WESIDENCE.!!
R-R-R-RUMBLE!
CR-RASHH!!
I'M AFWAID TO LOOK.! BUT I'LL BET THAT'S THE OTHER SIDE.!!
WECKED.! COMPLETELY WECKED BY A BUNCH OF HUNGWY TERMITES.!!
ELMER FUDD
SOB.! THEY'VE EATEN ME OUTA HOUSE AN' HOME.!! SOB.!
HIYA, DOC? WHY SO DOWN AT THE MOUTH??
WOOK AT THE WEMAINS OF MY HOUSE, BUGS, AN' YOU'LL SEE WHY.!!
JUMPIN' JELLYBEANS, DOC.! YER HOUSE AIN'T.! WHAT HAPPENED??
IT WAS PWACTICALLY DEVOURED BY A GWOUP OF HUNGWY TERMITES.!!
WOW, ELMER.! THEM TERMITES MUSTA BEEN FAMISHED.!!
THEY'RE PWOBABLY PLENTY FULL NOW.!!
I HOPE YER DUMP WAS COVERED BY RESURANCE, DOC.!!
CERTAINLY! BUT YOU HAVE TO GET A PWIOWITY TO BUILD A NEW HOUSE!
YA C'N BUILD A NEW HOUSE IF YOU WAS EVICTED-- AN' BELIEVE ME, DOC, YOU WAS EVICTED.!!
WEALLY? I'LL GO SEE ABOUT IT WIGHT AWAY.!!

LATER
I HAVE A PWIOWITY! CAN YOU EWECT A NEW, TERMITE-PWOOF HOUSE FOR ME?
WHY, YES! WE'LL BUILD IT WITH SOME NEW PLASTICS! CAN'T GET THE REGULAR MATERIALS, YOU KNOW.!!
I. BUILDUM
HOUSE BUILDER
PRIORITY GRANTED
I DON'T CARE WHAT YOU BUILD IT WITH, JUST SO I HAVE A NICE, WESPECTABLE WESIDENCE!
VERY WELL, FUDD! PICK THE HOUSE YOU WANT AN' WE'LL BUILD IT FOR YOU!
STILL LATER.
WELL, I SEE YOUVE STARTED YER NEW JOINT, DOC!!
WIGHTO! AN' IT'S GOING TO BE VEWWY MODERN AND WITZY!
IZZAT SO??
WIGHT! AN' IT'S ALSO GONNA BE TERMITE-PWOOF!!
WHAT'S THIS STUFF THEY'RE BUILDIN' IT WITH?? IT AIN'T WOOD!!
IT'S A BWAND NEW KIND OF PWASTIC!!
PLASTICS? I NEVER HEARD O' BUILDIN' A HOUSE OUTA PLASTICS!!
IT'S THE VEWWY LATEST THING! AN' BEST OF ALL, IT WESISTS EVEN THE HUNGWIEST OF TERMITES!
THE NEXT DAY.
JEEPERS, DOC! AIN'T THEY BUILDIN' IT AWFUL FAST??
THEY EWECT 'EM WAPIDLY THESE DAYS, OL' FWIEND!!
IT DON'T LOOK STRONG T' ME, DOC! ARE YA SURE THEY'RE BUILDIN' 'ER RIGHT?
CERTAINLY! THEY'RE EXPEWIENCED CWAFTSMEN!!
AND THE NEXT DAY.
DON'T TELL ME YER MOVIN' IN ALREADY, DOC??!!
I'M PWACTICALLY SETTLED IN MY NEW HOME!!

VERRY SNAZZY, DOC.!!
I'M MIGHTY PWOUD OF IT BUGS.! IT'S THE LAST WORD IN GWACIOUS LIVING.!!
NOTICE HOW YOU SINK IN THESE OWIENTAL MUGS.!!
I THINK FLOUNDER WOULD BE A BETTER WORD, DOC.!!
YESSIR, DOC.! YOU'VE GOT YERSELF A MIGHTY COZY NEST!!
WHY DON'T YOU TWY TO BUILD ONE JUST LIKE IT BUGS??
NOPE.! I'M SATISFIED WITH MY HOLE IN THE GROUND.!!
WELL, EVEWYONE TO HIS OWN TASTES. LOOK.! IT'S BEGINNING TO WAIN.!
AN' HOW.! IT'S A WEG'LAR CLOUDBURST.!!
CR-REAAK.!!
WHO CARES? WE'RE NICE AN' SNUG IN MY PWASTIC HOUSE.!!
CREEAAAK.!
SQUISHHHH!
DOC.! WHAT'S THEM STRANGE NOISES I HEAR?
ALL NEW HOUSES MAKE STWANGE NOISES WHEN THEY'RE WAINED ON FOR THE VEWY FIRST TIME.!!
CREAAAK.!!
URK!!
ELMER.! THE NOISES ARE GETTIN' LOUDER.!!
JUST WELAX.! THERE'S NOTHIN' WONG.!!
SCREEEEK.!!
AM I SEEIN' THINGS OR IS THIS ROOM GETTIN' SMALLER??
GOOD GWIEF.!!
DOC.! THE ROOM'S CLOSIN' IN ON US.!!
GRRNK.!!
IT'S SHWINKING.! THE WOOMS SHWINKING.!!
LET'S GET OUTA HERE BEFORE WE'RE SQUASHED!!
KRAK!!
THIS IS TEWWIBLE.!!


WHEW! WE JEST MADE IT! A MINUTE MORE AN' WE'D A'BEEN TRAPPED!!
GURKLE R-R-R
WOOK AT MY HOUSE--MY PWETTY PWASTIC HOUSE!! IT'S SHWINKING INTO NOTHING!!
I DON'T BELIEVE WHAT I'M SEEIN', DOC.! IT'S TOO FANTASTIC!!
I'LL BET THE WAIN DID IT!!
YER HOUSE MAY HAVE BEEN TERMITE-PROOF, BUT IT SURE WASN'T WATER-PROOF!!
LOOK AT IT NOW.! IT'S JUST AN OVERGWOWN PWAYHOUSE.!!
DON'T TAKE IT S' HARD, DOC.! YOU'LL GET YOUR DOUGH BACK!!
I KNOW.! BUT WHERE'LL I LIVE? WHAT'LL I DO??
YA C'N ENJOY YERSELF AT M'COUNTRY HOME.! IT WON'T COST YA A CENT.!
OH, THANK YOU, OL' PAL! YOU'RE A WEAL FWIEND IN NEED!!
LATER
IN MY HOME, ELMER, YA DON'T HAFTA WORRY ABOUT TERMITES EATIN' YA OUT.!
PALATIAL HOME OF BUGS BUNNY ESQ.
..AN' RAIN WON'T SHRINK YA OUT, DOC.! IT'S THE PERFECT WAY TO LIVE.!
HOW ABOUT THAT HOLE, THERE??
OKAY, BUD!!
CITY TRASH COLLECTOR
CLINK! CRUNCH! CRASH!
ULP?!!
CITY TRASH COLLECTOR
GWACIOUS?!!
WELL, I'LL ADMIT IT AIN'T QUITE AS PERFECT AS IT MIGHT BE.!!
I PWEFER TERMITES!!

WARNER BROS. CARTOONS, INC. PRESENT
HENERY HAWK
'BYE, MAMMA--- SEE YA LATER!
'HENERY! COME BACK HERE!
HAVEN'T YOU FORGOTTEN SOMETHING, YOUNG MAN?
NOPE--- I HAVE MY PITCHER'S GLOVE, AN' MY BASEBALL AN'-----
BUT YOU'RE NOT GOING TO PLAY BASEBALL! THIS IS THE DAY TO PRACTICE YOUR PIANO LESSON!
GEE WHIZ--- TH' FELLERS ARE DEPENDIN' ON ME TO PITCH TODAY!
NO, HENERY! YOU'LL PRACTICE THE PIANO--- --- AND THAT'S FINAL!
PONK!
GONG!
BLONK!
GANK!
PLINK!
PLONK!
COME ON, HENERY--- THE FELLOWS ARE AWAITING YOUR ARRIVAL!
CAN'T MAKE IT--- I GOTTA PRACTICE!
BUT YOU MUST! YOU REALLY MUST! WE'RE DEPENDING UPON YOUR SUPERB ATHLETIC ABILITIES!

MOM WON'T LET ME--- SAYS I GOTTA PRACTICE!
OH, DEAR ME! THIS IS A CRISIS!
HENERY! CONTINUE WITH YOUR PRACTICE!
SEE WHAT I MEAN?
HMMMMM! ISN'T THAT AN AUTOMATIC RECORD PLAYER?
SURE! IT'LL PLAY TH' SAME OL' RECORD OVER AN' OVER----
THUMP!
PLONK!
SAY! I GOT AN IDEA!
YOU MEAN, WE HAVE AN IDEA!
PIANO SOLO by PADEROOSTER
I WE'LL JUST PUT ON THIS RECORD, AND---
TO USE AN UNCOUTH EXPRESSION---- SHALL WE "SCRAM"?
PLINKETY!
PLONK!
YOU BET!
WITH YOU IN THERE PITCHING, I'M SURE WE WILL EMERGE THE WINNERS IN THIS GAME!
MY! HENERY HAS CERTAINLY IMPROVED SINCE HIS LAST LESSON!
TINKLE!
PLINKETY!
PLINK!
PLONK!

STOP THE CAR, JAMISON!
PLINKETY-PLINK!
TINKLE--
PLONK
YES, MISTER PADEROOSTER!
LISTEN, JAMISON! SOMEONE IS PLAYING ONE OF MY OLD RECORDS!
BUT DEFINITELY, SIR---
TINKLE TINKLE
--NO ONE ELSE IN THE WORLD CAN PLAY LIKE YOU, MISTER PADEROOSTER!
IT'S IMPOSSIBLE TO BUY THOSE RECORDS ANY MORE! I THINK I'LL SEE IF THEY'LL SELL IT TO ME!
VEDDY GOOD, SIR!
GOOD DAY, MADAM-- I WAS JUST DRIVING BY AND HEARD THE MUSIC---
YES! IT'S MY LITTLE BOY PRACTICING HIS PIANO LESSON! DO YOU LIKE IT?
WHY--- --ER--- --Y-YES!
WOULD YOU CARE TO COME IN AND LISTEN?
ER-- --THANK YOU!
OF COURSE, HE'LL IMPROVE IN TIME! I THINK IT'S PRETTY GOOD FOR THE SECOND LESSON!
HUMPH!
TINKLE! PLINK!
DO YOU MIND IF I GO IN AND WATCH?
NOT AT ALL! GO RIGHT IN!
TINKLE! TINKLE!
HMMM--- LITTLE BOY--- ONLY TWO LESSONS--- --BAH!
PLINK! PLINK! PLUNK!

OKAY, HENERY! ----- RIGHT DOWN TH' OL' ALLEY!
CRACK!
GRACIOUS! WHAT AN UNLUCKY HIT! THE BALL IS DESCENDING INTO HENERY'S HOUSE!
JEEPERS! I HOPE MOM HASN'T DISCOVERED IT!! AND THAT SHE HASN'T FOUND OUT ABOUT THAT RECORD!
SO FAR, SO GOOD! THE RECORD'S STILL GOING!
PLINKETY! PLINK!
I'LL TURN IT OFF -- AN' QUICK HOP ON THE PIANO STOOL!
CLICK!
HENERY--- --HAVE YOU FINISHED?
YES, MAMMA!
SPLENDID!---WHY, WHERE IS THE NICE MAN, HENERY?
WH-WHAT MAN, MAMMA?
GOOD HEAVENS! HE'S FAINTED! GET HELP!
HIS CAR IS OUT IN FRONT--I'LL CALL THE DRIVER--
AIR! AIR! TAKE ME AWAY FROM HERE!
VEDDY GOOD, SIR!
POOR MAN! AND HE ADMIRED YOUR PIANO PLAYING SO VERY MUCH, HENERY!
IT WAS A LUCKY HIT, AFTER ALL, HENERY!
YUP! OUR SECRET'S STILL SAFE! HEH! HEH!

(Continued from inside front cover)

Little Cicero piped in a piercing voice, "Somebody's fixin' up the HAUNTED HOUSE!"

"I sure wouldn't want to live there!" Petunia answered shrilly.

Little Sniffles dashed down the street toward them. "Hey! Wait for me, Petunia!" he called. "I hate to go by the HAUNTED HOUSE alone!"

Bugs and Porky had stopped a short distance away from the house. Petunia, Cicero, and Sniffles hurried to join them. They stood silently, looking back at the stranger and the little house.

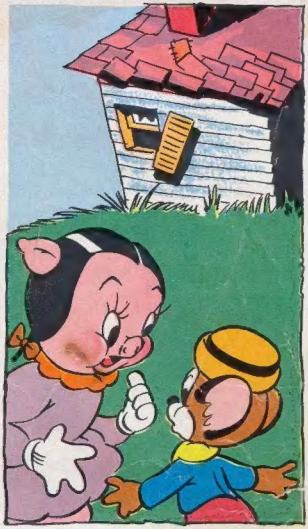
The stranger was staring at the house and he was no longer grinning. He jumped with a start when the painter suddenly yelled from his ladder.

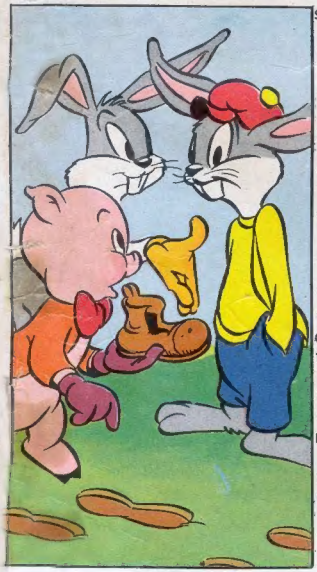
"Say! This isn't the white paint I left here last night! This is nothing but chalk and water! Something funny's going on around here!"

"I'll say it is!" the carpenter cried, rushing out the door. "My nails are gone! Somebody stole 'em and left rubber ones in their place!"

"And look at these queer footprints in the flower beds!" the gardener shouted. "They aren't regular footprints! Looks like ghosts have been around! Mebbe the place is HAUNTED!"

"HAUNTED!" the young rabbit echoed in a yell, his face pale with fright. He rushed down the street toward Bugs and Porky and the gang.





"Hey, kids!" he cried. "What do you know about the house bein' haunted?"

"Wh-What's it t-to you?" Porky asked sternly.

"Don't hang around us!" Bugs ordered. "Scram!"

The rabbit's pale face flushed. "I know I was mean an' rude," he stammered. "I was only tryin' to act tough. My name's Richard Rabbit. Please tell me about the house."

"Are you s-sure you w-want to b-be friends w-with us?" Porky asked.

"Yes. I'm sure! Please help me. IS the house haunted?" Richard begged.

"'Course not," Bugs grinned triumphantly. "We just wanted to teach you a lésson an' show you that you couldn't get tough with us. We climbed through a window last night an' did all those things."

They ran to the house and explained the "ghostly" visit to the painter, the carpenter and the gardener. They brought the real paint and nails from their hiding places.

"As long as we're goin' to be neighbors, we wanted to start you out on the right foot," Bugs chuckled.

"Well, you sure did," Richard smiled. "From now on, we'll be friends, I hope!"

And they were.

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